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PRES. CARTER'S VISIT/MEDIA REACTION SUPPLEMENT

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1. MARCH 27, TV GLOBO (NATION-WIDE) 11 P.M. PUBLIC
AFFAIRS SHOW TELECAST SEGMENTS OF MOTTA MELLO INTERVIEW
WITH BRZEZINSKI ON NUCLEAR ENERGY, WHICH WAS PRESENTED AS
MAJOR ISSUE OF TRIP.

2. MARCH 28, TV GLOBO NOON NEWS SHOWED MOTTA MELLO-
BRAZEZINSKI INTERVIEW SEGMENTS ON OVERALL PURPOSE OF TRIP
AND INTERVIEWED DESCENDENTS OF AMERICAN EX-CONFEDERATE
SETTLERS IN SAO PAULO/AREA CITY OF AMERICANA
ABOUT THEIR OPINIONS ON TRIP AND OPINIONS OF PRES.
CARTER DATING FROM HIS 1973 VISIT TO THAT CITH--VERY
FAVORABLE PRESENTATION.

3. MARCH 38, TV GLOBO 11 P.M. PUBLIC AFFAIRS SHOW
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AIRED SEGMENTS OF MOTTA MELLO-BRZEZINSKI INTERVIEW ON
TRADE AND HUMAN RIGHTS, PRESENTED RESPECTIVELY AS
SECOND AND THIRD MOST IMPORTANT ISSUES OF TRIP. WAS
PRECEDED BY CRITICAL STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF U.S.-BRAZIL
TRADE RELATIONS AND WAS FOLLOWED BY
MOTTA MELLO INTERVIEW WITH DEPT OF COMMERCE OFFICIAL
GEZA FEKATUKITY, WHO STRESSED NEED TO BALANCE U.S. AND

BRAZILIAN INTERESTS. BRZEZINSKI COMMENTS ON HUMAN RIGHTS FOLLOWED BY MOTTA MELLO INTERVIEW WITH MARK SCHNEIDER, STATE DEPT, WHOSE AIRED COMMENTS STRESSED CONTINUING U.S. CONCERN BUT ALSO ENCOURAGEMENT AT TRENDS IN BRAZIL. THEN GLOBO AIRED INTERVIEW WITH PROF. LARRY BURNS, HEAD OF COUNCIL ON HEMISPHERIC RELATIONS, EXPRESSING HOPE THAT CURRENT BRAZILIAN DIRECTIONS WOULD BRING IT INTO RANKS OF THOSE FEW IN LATAM WHO HONOR HUMAN RIGHTS. LASTLY GLOBO INTERVIEWED CBS CORRESPONDENT DAVID DOW WHO EARLIER HAD INTERVIEWD BRAZILIAN PRES. GEISEL ABOUT U.S.-BRAZILIAN RELATIONS AND PRES. CARTER VISIT FOR CBS TV.

4. MARCH 30, TV GLOBO 9 A.M. POOLED LIVE COVERAGE OF PRES. CARTER PRESS CONFERENCE SAME IN BRAZIL AS IN U.S.
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